


Application No: 09/872,364

- ☐ Petition for () month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$ for the extension of time.
- ☒ No fee is required.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.
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Respectfully submitted,

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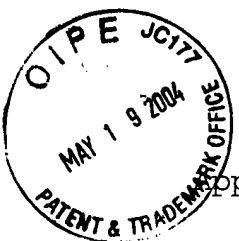
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For: NOVEL FLUORESCENT PROTEINS

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

May 19, 2004

Sir:

In reply to the outstanding office action dated February 20, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

The present reply includes:

Amended set of claims; and

Remarks.